

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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**AMENDMENT**  
**PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

**Mail Stop AMENDMENT**  
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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the Office Action mailed September 1, 2009. The three-month response due date is December 1, 2009.

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